



**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Yoshitaka SASAKI et al.

Group Art Unit:

Application No.: 10/654,421

Examiner:

Filed: September 4, 2003

Docket No.: 117038

For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THIN-FILM MAGNETIC HEAD

**AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Further to the Notice of Allowance mailed January 6, 2006, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Specification;**

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**